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## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a reply to the Office communication mailed November 7, 2001, in the above-captioned patent application. A response is due on May 7, 2002, by virtue of the attached Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the required fees. Although Applicants believe the amount of the attached check is correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Prior to reconsideration, Applicants request that the Office enter the following amendments.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 22 and 23 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter contained therein.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R.§ 1.121, please substitute claims 13, 18, and 20, with the following rewritten version of the same claims, as amended. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

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